- estate, unless said real estate shall be sold under contract whereby
- possession has been delivered to the purchaser, in which event it
- shall be construed that the purchaser is the owner of said real estate,
- except where a contract has been entered into providing for such 10
- 11 loss or damage.
- SEC. 4. Publication clause. This act is deemed of immediate im-
- portance and shall take effect from and after its publication in two
- (2) newspapers of this state as provided by law.

Approved April 8, A. D. 1927.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Boone News Republican April 13, 1927, and the Des Moines Plain Talk April 14, 1927.

W. C. RAMSAY, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 111

HIGHWAYS

H. F. 185

AN ACT providing for an amendment to section four thousand eight hundred thirty-one (4831), relating to destruction of trees along public highways by county supervisors.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. Section four thousand eight hundred thirty-one (4831)
- 2 of the code is amended by adding thereto the following:
- 3 The expense of such destruction including costs of serving said
- notice and the costs if any of any special meetings may be advanced
- from the county road fund, which fund shall be reimbursed when the
- tax aforesaid is collected.

Approved April 6, A. D. 1927.

CHAPTER 112

MOTOR VEHICLES

S. F. 58

AN ACT to amend section forty-nine hundred five (4905) of the code, 1924, relative to the amount of license fees to be paid on motor vehicles.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. That section forty-nine hundred five (4905) of the code, is hereby amended by striking therefrom the first paragraph
- 3 of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the following.
- "Fractional part of a year. Where there is no delinquency and the registration is made in February or in succeeding months to and

- 6 including November, the fees shall be computed on the basis of one-
- 7 twelfth of the annual license fee as provided herein multiplied by
- 8 the number of the un-expired months of the year. Whenever any
- 9 such fee so computed contains a fractional part of a dollar, it shall
- 10 be computed as of the nearest fractional quarter dollar thereto, and

11 said amount shall be the fee which shall be collected."

Approved April 8, A. D. 1927.

CHAPTER 113

MOTOR VEHICLES

S. F. 148

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in chapter two hundred fifty-one (251) of title XIII of the code, 1924, relative to the license fee of electric automobiles.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 . SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in chapter two hundred 2 fifty-one (251) of Title XIII of the code, 1924, be and the same is 3 hereby amended by inserting the following section immediately following section forty-nine hundred eleven (4911) thereof:
- "4911-a. Electric automobiles. For all electric automobiles the annual fee shall be twenty-five dollars. When any electric automobile has been registered five times the annual license fee shall be fifteen dollars."

Approved April 7, A. D. 1927.

CHAPTER 114

MOTOR VEHICLES—DELINQUENT FEES

S. F. 144

AN ACT to repeal sections forty-nine hundred thirty-three (4933), forty-nine hundred thirty-four (4934), forty-nine hundred thirty-five (4935) and forty-nine hundred thirty-six (4936) of the code, 1924, and to enact a substitute therefor relating to the collection of delinquent motor vehicle license fees.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. That the law as it appears in sections forty-nine hundred thirty-three, forty-nine hundred thirty-four, forty-nine hundred
- 3 thirty-five and forty-nine hundred thirty-six of the code, 1924, be
- 4 and the same are hereby repealed, and the following enacted in lieu
- 5 thereof:
- 6 "In the first week in May of each year the county treasurer shall